(*e*) one of the witnesses, Mr. Narayanaperumal Nadar, made a reference to the news item contained in the "Travancore Times" dated 12th August 1941 which was as follows : — "The District Registrar has reported that the allegations against the Alloor Sub-Registrar, Mr. Chandy, are unfounded."

MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR : May I know why Government are so slow in passing an order on the report of the Special Officer submitted to Government about the Registrar ?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI : May I inform the honourable member that orders have been passed.

MR. M SIVATHANU PILLAI : May I know the nature of the order, Sir ?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI : I claim notice for that.

MR. M. SIVATHANU PILLAI : May I know whether after stating that an order has been passed such an answer could be given ?

PRESIDENT : It has not been published.

MR. M. SIVATHANU PILLAI : May I know whether it will not be published ?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI : It is not yet time to be published. It will be published in due course.

MR. M. SIVATHANU PILLAI : In answer to part (e) of the question there is a mention of the name of one Mr. Narayanaperumal Nadar. I would like to know whether he is Mr. K. Narayanaperumal Nadar ?

RAJYASEVAPRAVINA G. PARAMESWARAN PILLAI : I think so.

MR. M. SIVATHANU PILLAI : There is another person named Narayanaperumal Nadar, whose initial I do not know, who is making reckless charges against officials without being substantiated. I only wanted to know whether the name referred to him.

PRESIDENT : Government are indebted to the honourable member for that information.

Sub-Registrar, Alloor.

49. ✻ **MR. K. NARAYANAPERUMAL NADAR :** Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the total number of years of service Mr. Chandy, B. A., has put in as Sub-Registrar ; and

(*b*) the number of years he has spent as Sub-Registrar of Alloor ?

MR. K. MADHAVA KURUP : (*a*) 20 years, 8 months, and 3 days on 1-4-1117.

(*b*) A total period of 7 years and 8 months.

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